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THROUGH FINANCIAL PRESSURE I AM compelled to offer my Entire Stock of

CLOCKS, WATCHES —AND— JEWELRY, —AT A—

Great Sacrifice!

ELGIN, SPRINGFIELD AND WALTHAM WATCHES, IN COIN and SILVER CASES, for $10.00 EACH, and other goods in proportion. CLOCKS lower than the manufacturers' prices.

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RUBBER HOSE, BELTING AND PACKING, ALL KINDS OF MACHINE SUPPLIES, ENGINES, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, and ALL KINDS OF MACHINERY REPAIRED. Also BLACKSMITHING, PLUMBING, STEAM AND GAS FITTING. ALL WORK WARRANTED.

Cor. E. Main and State Streets,

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UNDERTAKERS

And Dealers in all kinds of

COFFINS,

Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets.

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[SUCCESSOR TO LAUX BROS.]

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Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets.

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ERADICATES ALL MALARIAL DISEASES from the SYSTEM.

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Having concluded to make a change in my business, I have determined to

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[My Large and Well Selected Stock of]

STOVES —AND— HARDWARE!

—AT—

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Call Soon and Secure Bargains.

All persons indebted to me will please call and settle and save cost.

R. C. CROCKER,

No. 9 Water Street.

Nov. 27, 1878—d&wtf

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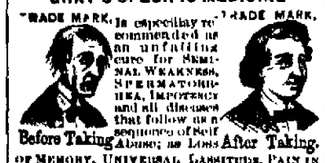
GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE



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Is especially recommended as an unfailing cure for SEMINAL WEAKNESS, SPERMATORRHŒA, IMPOTENCY and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self Abuse; as Loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to Insanity, Consumption and a Premature Grave, all of which as a rule are first caused by deviating from the path of nature and over-indulgence. The Specific Medicine is the result of a life study and many years of experience in treating these special diseases.

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Full particulars in our pamphlets, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.

The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent by mail on receipt of the money by addressing

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Sold in Decatur, Illinois, at DR. A. J. STONER'S Drug Store, and by druggists everywhere

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July 4. 1y

DECATUR

Vinegar Factory!

WE NOW MANUFACTURE AND HAVE for sale,

Pure Cider and White Wine Vinegar

FOR THE TRADE.

We pay Cash for Hard Cider and fallen apples delivered at our Factory opposite our brewery on South Broadway, Decatur, Illinois.

Harpstrite & Schlaudeman.

May 8 d1y

J. I. PEDDECORD. I. BURROWS. WM. M. BOYD.

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BANKING HOUSE

—OF—

PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.,

JANUARY 1, 1879.

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—WE HAVE—

MONEY TO LOAN

IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

Most Favorable Terms,

Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate.

We keep a supply of

GOVERNMENT BONDS!

On hand at all times, which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET RATES.

A general Banking Business transacted, but no interest paid on deposits.

Jan. 7—d&w3mos

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County. } Macon County Circuit Court.

Martha S. Hammond and Jasper J. Peddicord and Lowber Burrows vs. James V. Brown, Ellen Brown, August Hebenstreit, Margery A. Hebenstreit and John H. Myers—Bill to foreclose trust deed.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Monday, the 17th day of February, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Ninety-five (95) acres off the east side of the northeast quarter of section seven (7), in township fourteen (14) north, range two east of the third principal meridian, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 16th, 1879.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

ROBT. OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors for Complainants. Jan16-d30d

Abbott's Patent Portland Cutter—Sold for half the price, finished superior and warranted stronger than ordinary sleighs. Also, Abbott's Patent Rubber Attachments for every variety of wheeled vehicles. Only device of the kind in existence. The say axle; perfectly practical, serving and alone. Write work for city use; narrow track for carriage use. For sale by Agt. Impl. and Hardware dealers generally.

KRAMER & McCLELLAND, Agents,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS

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COMMANDERS-IN-CHIEF.

The following is a complete list of the various officers who have commanded the armies of the United States since the foundation of our military service to the present time, giving the rank held by each, with the period of their command:

General and Commander-in-Chief, George Washington, from June 5, 1775, to the close of the Revolution.

From that date to September, 1789, the army consisted of eight companies of infantry and a battalion of artillery (act of September, 1785), when Brev. Brig Gen. Josiah Harmer, Lieutenant Colonel commandant of the infantry, was assigned and held until March, 1791.

Maj. Gen. Arthur St. Clair, from March, 1791, to March, 1792, when he resigned.

Maj. Gen. Anthony Wayne, from March, 1792, to Dec. 15, 1796, when he died in a hut on the banks of Lake Erie, in Pennsylvania, while en route from Maumee to the East.

Brig. Gen. James Wilkinson, from Dec 16, 1796, to July 2, 1798.

Lieut. Gen. George Washington, from July 3, 1789, till his death, Dec. 4, 1799.

Brig. Gen. James Wilkinson (again), from June, 1808, to January, 1812, when he was promoted to Major General.

Maj. Gen. Henry Dearborn, from January, 1812, to June, 1815, when he was mustered out.

Maj. Gen. Jacob Brown, from June, 1815, till his death, Feb. 24, 1828.

Maj. Gen. Alexander McComb, from May, 1828, till his death, in June, 1841.

Maj. Gen. Winfield Scott, from June 25, 1841, to November, 1861, being also brevoted Lieutenant General from May, 1861.

Maj. Gen. George B. McClellen, from Nov. 1, 1861, to March 11, 1862.

Maj. Gen. Henry W. Halleck, from July 23, 1862, to March 12, 1864.

Lieut. Gen. U. S. Grant (appointed July 25, 1866), from March 12, 1864, to March 4, 1869.

Gen. William T. Sherman, from March 8, 1869, to the present time.

Corn in Illinois.

The crop circular of the Illinois Department of Agriculture for December, 1878, gives some interesting statistics as to the corn crop of last year. The 8,672,088 acres planted in corn in 1878 produced 251,149,230 bushels, valued at $56,181,933. In 1877 there were 8,935,411 acres planted in corn. The product amounted to 269,889,742 bushels, valued at $77,562,879. The heaviest corn-producing counties are McLean, 9,094,518 bushels; La Salle, 6,980,310 bushels; Warren, 6,980,310 bushels; Sangamon, 5,978,840 bushels, Will, 5,892,020 bushels, and Livingston, 7,217,640 bushels.

A SWEET-SCENTED young tulip you are, Caleb, not to know what is meant by "hugging a delusion." Hugging a delusion means embracing a pretty girl who is ready to go back on you just as soon as she finds another fellow that suits her better than you do. You ought to be ashamed to confess your ignorance in this unblushing manner.—*Chicago Tribune.*

IT was a colored preacher who said to his flock last Christmas day: "We have a collection to make this morning, and for de glory of Heaben, whichever of you stole Mr. Jones' turkeys don't put anything on the plate." One who was there says "Every blessed niggah in de church came down with the rocks."

WORDS OF WARNING.

During the present year, as in the past, the grave will close over thousands, simply because they neglect the means which would restore them to health. Meet the fell destroyer at the threshold, and dispute his invasion by that more than wonderful medicine, Dr. Morris' Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Horehound. There is no cough or cold, case of asthma, bronchitis, blood-spitting, weak lungs, croup or whooping cough which will not yield more readily to this great BOTANICAL remedy than any other medicine. If you would avoid disappointment, and be speedily cured, ask your druggist for Dr. Morris' Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Horehound. Trial size, 10 cents. Regular sizes 50 cents and One Dollar. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner, Druggist, Decatur, Ill.

Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup is perfectly safe. Extremely palatable. No physic required. Costs 25 cents. Try it

Jan: 1-d&w1m

For choice New York Buckwheat Flour go to SHELLABARGER'S.

Dec 18-d&wtf

Try a sack of Shellabarger's "White Loaf"—new patent process flour

Dec. 18—d&wtf

Four good 160 acre farms for rent, by John A. Brown, Attorney at Law

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Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. [Dec. 18-d&wtf

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See those new spring styles Ladies' Shoes and Slippers, at Ferriss' Shoe Store.

Jan. 25-d&wtf

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.

Dec. 18—d&wtf

Gents' Shawls,—Very cheap, at Linn & Scruggs dec2d&wtf

DRIVEN TO MADNESS

—BY—

B. STINE,

The "Boss Clothier."

That little volcano, whose crater contains some shoddy clothing, lot of venom, and any amount of wind, has at last

BURSTED!

BUT NOBODY IS HURT.

The people of Decatur and vicinity, endorsing the policy of DECATUR'S BOSS CLOTHIER by the overwhelming majority of customers seeking refuge at our store, and exposing that wind-bag,

The Manufacturing Dodge Breathes Its Last

and the ceremony is performed by B. STINE, showing the good people, by our past business record of 15 years' standing, that we have stood the test in building up a fleet-footed to put afoot worthy, the immense patronage at the hands of our customers, notwithstanding the HOWLING and BARKING OF OUR MAD COMPETITORS.

—OUR STOCK OF—

CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS, HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS, &C.,

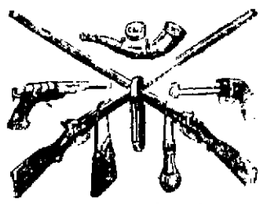
Speaks for Itself in Quality and Low Prices.

WE TAKE THE PEOPLE BY STORM, as they do not care who manufactures our Goods as long as we can sell them a better class of Goods for less money than any man who claims to manufacture his own.

B. STINE,

Dec. 27 d&tf **The "BOSS CLOTHIER."**

GUNS! GUNS!



We have just received a Large Invoice of

Guns, Revolvers

—AND—

Sportsmen's Goods,

FOR THE FALL TRADE

And now have the

LARGEST and BEST STOCK

Of the kind in Central Illinois.

We are prepared to Duplicate any Goods in our line at Eastern prices

H. MUELLER & CO.

Aug. 6, 1878 d&w6mo

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, } Macon County Circuit Court.

James F. Roach and Benjamin O. McReynolds vs. William M. Dickey, Jennie M. Dickey and Sarah A. Dickey—Bill to foreclose mortgage.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Friday, the 14th day of February, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: All the interest of said William M. Dickey and wife, being an undivided one-tenth interest in the following pieces, lots, tracts and parcels of land, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section thirty-six (36), the south half of the southwest quarter of said section, lot one (1), in the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of said section, lot two (2), in the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of said section, and lot seven (7), in the northwest quarter of section thirty-one (31)—all being in township eighteen (18) north and range four (4) east of the 3rd principal meridian, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 13th, 1879.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois.

ROBT. OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors for Complainants. Jan15-30d

Query:—Why will you smoke a poor 5-cent cigar when you can get "Kepler's Queen," warranted 18 carats fine, for the same money? [April 11-d1f

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BLENZ & DANZEISEN

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS.

A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED MEATS.

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

We have on hand a choice lot of Sugar Cured Hams at 10 cents per pound, Sugar-Cured Shoulders at 7 cents per pound, Lard at 8 cts per pound, Sides of Bacon at 8 cents per pound

Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first class stock. F. D. 2d&tfd.

CURE YOURSELF!

Dr. Behanna's "Vegetable Cordial" is warranted to permanently cure all forms of Spermatorrhœa or seminal Weakness, General Debility, Impotency, Dyspepsia and Loss of Power "and brings back the Manly Vigor of Youth to those who have destroyed it by sexual excesses or evil practices, in from two to seven weeks time. This remedy, which has been used by Dr. Behanna in his private practice for over thirty years, was never known to fail in curing the WORST CASES. It gives vitality and impartes energy with wonderful effects to those middle aged men who feel a weakness beyond their years. Being designed by physicians and sold at a price to suit all cases. Young men suffering from the consequences of that destructive habit of self-Abuse can neither a medicine with the assurance of speedy and PERMANENT cure. The patent gives strength to the parts at once, as their use brings the parts affected as a soothing and healing balm and anodyne to the relaxed seminal vessels and irritated ducts, imparting power and tone and restoring them to their natural state the same as if the faint flame had never been indulged in. The ingredients are simple productions of nature—barks, roots, herbs, etc., and are specific for the above cases.

Price Five Dollars, sent with full directions, etc. Beware of imposters. For sale only at Dr. C. A. Behanna's office, No. 621 North Fifth street, between Washington avenue and Olive st., St. Louis, Mo. Established in 1847.

Read Dr. Behanna's "Treatise on Special Diseases," which gives a full description of the nature, symptoms, treatment and cure of SEMINAL WEAKNESS, etc., sent FREE to any address upon receipt of one stamp.

MARRIAGE SECRETS A Book of nearly 200 pages, numerous engravings, reveals secrets which the married and those contemplating marriage should know. How to cure diseases. Hundred of Recipes. Sent securely sealed for 50 cents (money or postage stamps). Address Dr. C. A. BEHANNA, 621 North Fifth Street, St. Louis, Mo.

Jan. 18, 1879 d&wly

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of WILLIAM SAWYER, Sr., deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of William Sawyer, Sr., deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court-house, in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of February, A. D. 1879, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 16, A. D. 1878.

BENJAMIN O. McREYNOLDS, Administrator.

Dec 16 d3w

"Cheap Charley,"

ONE PRICE ONLY.

No Misrepresentation.

THE "POOR MAN'S FRIEND."

THE ONLY RETAIL CLOTHING HOUSE IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS WHICH MANUFACTURES ITS OWN CLOTHING.

Our New Stock is now in course of being manufactured, but we will Display this Spring a better assortment than ever; but

FOR THE PRESENT

We will sell our Stock on hand at

A REDUCTION!

from our former already low prices to make room for the New Stock.

We are bound to prove that we are the LIVELIEST CLOTHIERS IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS, and always guarding the interest of our customers.

CLOTHING!

HATS, CAPS,
BOOTS, SHOES,
UNDERWEAR,
TRUNKS, &C.,

At Manufacturers' Prices,

'CHEAP CHARLEY'

THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND.

KAUFMAN & BACHRACH.

Feb 1 d&wtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, } Macon County Circuit Court

Henry Bishop vs. John A. Myers, Hannah M. Myers, Cora A. L. Myers, Linda E. A. Myers, Elsie A. T. Myers, Robert P. Myers, Andrew E. R. Myers, Lydia E. F. Myers, Benson A. L. Myers and John A. Barnes—Foreclosure. No 10734

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Tuesday, the 18th day of February, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Thirty-five acres commencing at a point twenty rods west of the east quarter section post on the north line of said section twenty-six (26), in township twenty-eight (28) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian, containing in all 120 acres more or less, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption

Decatur, Ill., Jan 22th, 1879

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

ROBT. OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors for Complainants. Jan26d30d

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of A. Buckingham and against Charles Drohn and Thomas W. Berry, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No six (6), in block No. thirteen (13), Allen, Mc Reynolds & Co.'s Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said Charles Drohn, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1879, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 21st day of January, A. D. 1879.

M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

Jan 22 d3w

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Augustus Harpstrite and against Fred Aholtz and E. H. Bieholtz, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit. Lot eight (8), in block one (1), in Durfee & King's addition to the City of Decatur; also lots one (1), two (2), three (3) and four (4), in block fourteen (14), in the town of Blue Mound, in Pleasant View township, all in Macon County, Illinois. Taken as property of the said E. H. Bieholtz, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in Macon County, in said State, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1879, at 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 21st day of January, A. D. 1879.

M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Ill

Jan. 22 d3w

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25 FANCY CARDS with name, 10c., Plain or Gold, 150 styles. Agent's outfit, 10c. HULL & CO., Hudson, New York.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, } Macon County Circuit Court.

Ira N. Burnes et al. vs. Robert M. Mahaffey, John H. Mahaffey, Maud Mahaffey, Eliza Lincoln, Charles Lincoln, Franklin Rhodes, Frank Shepherd, James C. Lake and Simon P. Nickey.—Bill to foreclose trust deed.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Thursday, the 27th day of February, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The north half of the northwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section (6) No. twenty-six (26), in township No. seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian, containing in all 120 acres more or less, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption

Decatur, Ill., Jan 22th, 1879

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.

ROBT. OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors for Complainants. Jan26d30d

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of William L. Hammer and Joseph Q. A. Odor, partners as Rucker, Hammer & Co., and against Albert Emerson, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The undivided interest of the above-named Albert Emerson in the following described real estate, to-wit: The east half of the southeast quarter of section sixteen (16), also the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section sixteen (16); also, the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section seventeen (17)—all in town sixteen (16) north, range three (3) east of the third P. M. Taken as property of the said Albert Emerson, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1879, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 21st day of January, A. D. 1879.

M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.

Jan 22d—d3w

DECATUR

BASKET FACTORY!

Sign of the Mammoth Basket,

SAMUEL FRIEND, Manufacturer,

CORNER MAIN AND STATE STREETS. Over Millikin's Commission House.

ALL KINDS OF BASKETS, MADE FROM the choicest oak and white ash timber; Merchants' Delivery Baskets a specialty; the old style Farmers' Hand-made Feed Baskets; ladies' beautiful white ash Clothes Baskets, Wood, Waste, Hamper, Coal, Factory and Elevator Baskets made to order. JOB WORK DONE. CHAIR BOTTOMING SOLICITED. Call and see. Sample room and office with J. Hunter Millikin.

Jan. 2, 1879 w3mos

The Daily Republican.

F. K. HAMSHER. J. S. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER PUBLISHERS.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 3, 1879.

CONRAD TATGE, Esq., ex-Circuit Clerk of Will county, is circulating a petition asking the Legislature to pass a law making the American custom of treating in saloons an offense punishable by severe fines. A large number of signatures have already been obtained to the petition.

HENRY BROOKSHIRE died recently in Graves county, Ky., at the age of 95 years. He had 17 children, 12 of whom yet live; 128 grandchildren, 158 great-grandchildren, and six great-great grandchildren, making a grand total of 305 descendants.

A WELL grounded belief in New York exists that Jay Gould is entirely ruined. It is said his losses have been $100,000 a week for months, and that he is now short 75,000 shares Michigan Central and 25,000 Lake Shore, also believed on Illinois Central, North-Western and St. Paul since last November. He sold North-Western at 42 and it is now worth 63. Lake Shore has advanced six points on him, while on Michigan Central his shorts are enormous. He sold at 40, but it now stands 90. He is a bold operator, but is certainly in a tight place this time.

THE value of the merchandise imported into the United States during December last was $31,491,693. The exports amounted to $66,686,259.

THE Jonesboro (Ill.) *Gazette* affirms that all the stories about the recent cold weather having destroyed all the peaches are pure fabrications, and says that the peach trees are uninjured. It further says that the strawberry plants and small fruits are doing well.

NEPHEW PELTON is to be sacrificed to save his Uncle Sam. Pelton has nothing to lose by assuming all the responsibility of the cipher dispatches. But that will not let Tilden out of the scrape. It is just as easy to make water run up hill as to convince the country that the attempt to buy electoral votes was not made with the knowledge and sanction of Samuel J. Tilden.—*Chicago Journal.*

THE new criminal code in New York, if adopted, will call a spade a spade, and murder, murder, and the "criminal appropriation of property," without regard to the standing in society of the appropriator, "larceny." It will cut off verbiage, technicalities, and legal obstructions to the administration of justice, and make some of the fat kine among the lawyers very lean.

SENATOR McDonald has introduced a bill to authorize the appointment of young Braden to an Ensigney in the navy. Braden is the boy who graduated last summer from one of her Majesty's naval colleges, carrying off nearly all the first prizes, including the gold medal of $5000 value sent personally by Queen Victoria. He is the first American who ever graduated at a British naval institution. He was offered a Midshipman's warrant in the Royal Navy, but was too good an American to take it. Though our navy is rather full at present, there ought still to be room in it for young men of this description.

NOW THAT the Arlington estate, under the decision of the United States Court in Virginia, reverts to the Lee family, notoriously rebel during the "late unpleasantness," it becomes a question of considerable moment as to what will be done with the remains of the 15,000 gallant Union soldiers who are buried within its domain. Can the country, and will it, consent to have them removed, or suffer their greatest enemies to possess the freehold where they are laid to rest? The Government should own this sacred soil and the more sacred dust that it envelops.

Lincoln's Aspiration.

Judge Johnston, of Cincinnati, is quoted as saying that he was with Abraham Lincoln one day when a committee came to ask the President to suspend the draft until after his second election, on the ground of its unpopularity. Said Mr. Lincoln, quietly, "What is the Presidency worth to me if I have no country?" Whereupon the committee retired. The Judge says also: "Mr. Stanton told me the next day or so after Lincoln's death that there was a time when the members of his Cabinet and he disputed on questions of policy, but they so often found themselves wrong and Lincoln right, he came to have his own way, and they to have entire confidence in his 'inspirations,' as they called them. He was a man of wonderfully clear inspirations; a man who employed no spies or others to collect stories, but judged of the public sentiment by inquiring into his own breast, and asking himself what ought to be done."

The Old Dominion Buck Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents, are reduced in price, and are the best gloves on the American continent, at any price. To be had only of LINN & SCRUGGS

Oct. 31—dtf

Choice Bulk Oysters just received at Gephart's, 50 cents per quart. Will be kept on hand all the time 1 ov 2dtf

E. PLURIBUS UNUM.

Mr. A. Loudon Snowden, of Philadelphia, thus describes the origin and use of the motto *E Pluribus Unum*: "It is ascribed to Col. Reed, of Uxbridge, Mass. It first appeared on a copper coin struck at Newburg, N. Y., where there was a private mint. The pieces struck are dated 1786. In 1787 the motto appeared on several types of the New Jersey coppers, also on a very curious gold doubloon, or sixteen-dollar piece, coined by a goldsmith named Brasher. It was there put Unum E Pluribus. Only four of these pieces are known to be extant, and they are very valuable. One of them, in possession of the Mint, is supposed to be worth over $1,000. When Kentucky was admitted, in 1791, it is said copper coins were struck with E Pluribus Unum. They were made in England. The act of Congress of 1792, authorizing the establishment of a Mint, and the coinage of gold, silver, and copper, did not prescribe this motto, nor was it ever legalized. It was placed on gold coins in 1796, and on silver coins in 1798. It was constantly used thereafter until 1831; when it was withdrawn from the quarter-dollar of new device. In 1834 it was dropped from gold coins to mark the coinage in the standard fineness of of the coin. In 1837 it was dropped from the silver coins, marking the era of the revised Mint Code. It has been thought proper to restore it recently to our new silver dollar, without any special sanction of law, although the expression is one very proper for our coin."

Substitutes for Liquor.

Boston Journal.

A curious feature of the operation of the No-License law at Norwich, Conn., is the substitution by drinkers of other stimulants in the place of liquors. Perhaps the most natural substitute of all is Jamaica ginger. This extract has about double the alcoholic strength of whisky, and as it is a medicine in constant demand, and kept by all druggists it makes a very satisfactory substitute for the habitual old toper who is bound to get drunk on something. That it is used in this way to a considerable extent is shown from the increased sales of the drug as well as the confession of the user. One dealer estimates his sales of Jamaica ginger since the 1st of November as fully three times as great as they were before, another sells perhaps a third more than before that date; another has noticed but a small increase,—not over 5 per cent; while a fourth estimates the calls upon him as five times as large now as they were up to Nov. 1. It is also said that the sale of paregoric has slightly increased in some cases.

THE Potter Committee thought they had a good one on Assistant Postmaster General Tyner. One of the witnesses testified that certain despatches had passed between Tyner and Zach Chandler, which he construed as smacking strongly of "bargain and sale," but Judge Tyner promptly appeared and produced the original despatches, which showed for themselves that they had no connection whatever with the Presidential muddle down South. It is utterly useless for the Potter Committee to fool away its time with Republican despatches. If it wants to unearth fraud, it must turn its attention to the Democratic cipher despatches. Here is material for investigation which will "pan out" richly.

WHEN NEGLECTFUL OF THE DUTY assigned to it by nature, that of secreting the bile, the liver should be disciplined with *Dr. Mott's Vegetable Liver Pills*, which will speedily remedy its inaction and stimulate it to a vigorous performance of its secretive function. Constipation, which is an invariable accompaniment of liver disorder, is always overcome by this great anti bilious cathartic, and indigestion, chronic and acute, is completely cured by it. Sold by S M Irwin, the Live Druggist.

Feb. 1 d&w1w

The Patent Corset Comforts—Bertree's Adjustable, Foy's Supporter, Moody's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at

Jan. 23-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

Call on Lewis Mackenzie, (formerly with J. P. Marsh), corner of North Water and Prairie streets, for fine boots and shoes made to order in the latest style, and at prices as cheap as any other bootmaker in the city. Repairing of all kinds neatly executed on short notice.

Jan. 15—d&wtf

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.

Dec. 18—d&wtf

Gents' Shawls.—Very cheap, at Linn & Scruggs. dec8d&wtf

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Respecting the future action of the Senate on the New York Custom House nominations, it is reported to-night from Democratic sources that, so far as his support from that party in the Senate is concerned, Conkling is losing ground. A prominent Southern Senator is said to have stated that a number of Democrats who have heretofore been thought to hold doubtful positions as to their votes on the pending nominations, would now vote for their confirmation.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 1.—To-day Deputy United States Marshal Goodheart arrived in this city, having in custody James E. Sharp, who is charged with the crime of embezzlement, having collected and used over $2,000 belonging to various parties living in Central Illinois. Sharpe was arrested at Zanesville, Indiana, and was brought to this city and lodged in Jail, where he will await his examination.

TELEGRAPHIC

AN IOWA OUTRAGE.

PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT

The Progress of the Plague.

CRIMINAL NEWS.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 1.—Thursday night, about 11 o'clock, nine men in disguise went to the house of Dr. M. W. Slocum, an old resident of Perry, Dallas county, and rapped at the door. The Doctor arose from his bed and opened the door, when he was hurried to a wagon and driven off eastward, his naked limbs hanging over the rear end of the wagon, while two men sat on his body holding a blanket over his head to stifle his screams. His wife ran to a neighbor's and gave the alarm. Quickly the whole town was aroused, and Captain Haskins came up before the horsemen got away, and, seizing one horse by the bridle ordered the rider to dismount. Several revolver snaps were exchanged, the weapons not discharging, when the horsemen dismounted and fled. A large posse at once made pursuit, and, a few miles distant, one of the mob was captured, who had been thrown from his horse. He was brought back, and upon washing the black from his face he was discovered to be Thomas Gardner, a farmer, living a few miles distant. He refused to squeal on his partners. The pursuers got so close on the gang that three abandoned their horses, which were captured, and the Doctor was thrown out of the wagon. He made his way to a farm-house, where he was cared for. He is in a critical condition, owing to his exposure in only a shirt, the bruises received and the excitement. He says the mob told him they were going to kill him, and they probably would have done so but for the close pursuit. The cause of the trouble is supposed to be the failure of the Doctor in business several months ago, by which farmers in the neighborhood where Gardner lives met with losses.

There is little doubt the whole gang will be brought to justice.

EDINBURGH, Feb. 1.—The Directors of the City of Glasgow Bank—Robert Sumner Stronach and Lewis Potter, convicted of fraud, theft and embezzlement—were sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment. Five other Directors, convicted of uttering false abstract balance sheets, were sentenced to eight months' imprisonment. The light sentences caused some surprise. Justice Moncreiff, in passing sentence, said he considered the circumstances that the prisoners had not falsified the accounts for their own personal benefit, but in the mistaken idea that it was for the public good.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 1.—The Committee of Ministers have resolved that the Minister of the Interior be empowered to burn Wetlianka and other villages if necessary, the inhabitants to be removed elsewhere within the quarantine district. Troops to enforce the quarantine will be placed at the disposal of the civil administration. A delegate will be dispatched to Astrakhan and neighboring Governments with power to adopt extraordinary measures. He will be accompanied by a medical commission to investigate the causes of the epidemic.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 2.—The Czar has approved the summary measures resolved upon by the Committee of Ministers for stopping the plague. Three more cases have been reported at Solitreno. The doctors, however, state that the plague at Solitreno is confined to four peasant families, who are herded together. All remedies have proved unavailing, and the Sanitary Commission at Moscow have decided upon the most stringent precautions, such as the closing of unhealthy basement dwellings, erection of buildings to accommodate 2,000 people and furnaces for burning infected clothes, and a gratuitous distribution of cooked provisions. Russia has asked England to send medical men to report on the epidemic.

BUCHAREST, Feb. 2.—The Chamber of Deputies voted a credit of 500,000 francs for the establishment of quarantine and military cordon to prevent spread of the plague.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 1.—The reduction of the debt during January was $2,951,980.

Cash in the Treasury, $382,450,695. Gold and silver certificates, $20,197,880; United States notes held for the redemption of certificates of deposits, $40,940,000; United States notes held for the redemption of fractional currency, $8,560,824; called bonds not matured for which 4 per cent. bonds have been issued, $157,161,950.

CLINTON, ILL., Feb. 2.—John Jackson, the supposed murderer of his cousin, John H. Jackson, August 3, 1878, at Kahokia, Mo., and who is now confined in the Decatur jail by authority of Marshal Crang, of this city, will, it is thought, prove to be the man wanted corresponding in every particular with the description forwarded by the Clark county officers, with the exception that the scar is on the wrong side of the neck. It is now thought that the officers made the mistake, and for this omission he has been able to mislead them up to the present time. Marshal Crang is now in direct communication with the officers of Clark county, and expects to be able to deliver him to the proper authorities in a few days

GREEN ROOM GOSSIP.

A Collection of Paragraphs of Interest to Play-Goers—A Few Facts Not Generally Known.

Miss Fannie Davenport, who is to appear in this city Feb. 13, played to crowded houses in New Orleans last week.

Mrs Henrietta Chanfrau did a light business at Nashville, Tenn., last week.

Joe Murphy in "Kerry Cow" played to crowded houses in Chicago last week.

Gen. Tom Thumb and wife, Major Newell and Miss Amy Reed, Cal Wagner's and Dillehunty & Hengler's minstrels are in New York.

John Dillon and the Wallack Combination at St. Paul Feb. 6 and 7.

Alf Burnett and Miss Helen Nash are in Minnesota.

Mrs. Scott Siddons is giving readings in Canada.

Billy Emerson's minstrel troupe is in Canada, drawing large houses.

Van Amberg's circus and menagerie is wintering at Armenia, N. Y.

Mlle. Litta, (Marie Von Elner) who made her *debut* at Booth's theater on Jan. 21st, as Margherita in "Faust," was given the highest praise by the New York press The Young Ladies' Reform Club of this city have made partial arrangements to have this celebrated singer favor our citizens with her presence, and she will probably sing at the tabernacle on or about March 20. General admission $1 00; reserved seats $1,25.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" was first produced at Chatham street theater, New York, Aug. 24, 1852, nine years before the war, and still it liveth.

From the New York *Clipper*, Feb. 1.:

ACCIDENT.—An express train running from Marshall, Texas, to Shreveport, La., was thrown from the track by a broken rail one mile west of Greenwood on Jan. 9, and several members of the Louise Pomeroy Combination were injured. Miss Pomeroy was thrown completely across the car, out of the window, and the car fell upon her. She was severely cut by the glass and badly injured internally. The other members of the company escaped without serious injuries.

Here is a paragraph that is a warning to the fashionable female whom not even marriage and its admonitions can cure of a mania for dancing, while at the same time it possesses a deep interest for the sideshowmen Indianapolis has a ten-year-old idiot who, almost from his advent, has been going through the mazy motions of a waltz to music that is inaudible to others He is his own string band. It is explained that his mother attended a ball just before his birth, and that she there danced to excess.

Fanny Louise Buckingham, whose horse was recently levied upon while she was playing in Philadelphia, has made a final settlement with her creditor, and now enjoys possession of the animal. We understand that Miss Buckingham contemplates going upon the legitimate stage.

PUBLIC LIBRARY,

Librarian's Report for January.

No of books loaned	3,181
Av. " " " daily	134
No of visitors registered	6,094
Av " " " daily	254
No. registered borrowers to Feb. 1st,	2,914
Fines, etc., collected	$1 26

R. L. EVANS, Librarian.

This 7th day of November, A. D. 1878.

Quicken the Circulation.

Don't let the blood stagnate in your veins. You can prevent its doing so by increasing its volume and purity, by stimulating the digestive organs, and encouraging assimilation, with that matchless vitalizing agent, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. People not afflicted with any organic or inorganic disease, grow wan and haggard simply because their blood is thin, watery, deficient in nourishing properties and so meager in quantity that the extremities are very imperfectly supplied with it, and the superficial circulation extremely feeble. Hence the bloodless appearance of the countenance But when the Bitters are used to enrich and quicken the blood, the rosy hue of health returns to the cheek, the frame acquires substance as well as vigor, the appetite improves, and no digestive qualms interfere either with its gratification or the subsequent tranquility of the stomach.

Feb. 3-d&w1w

A STRAY GUN.—This forenoon some gentleman from the vicinity of Rea's bridge saw a young man by the name of George Edmunds trying to pawn a gun which they recognized as belonging to Mr. Lewis Gill of the same neighborhood. The police were notified and the young man and gun were taken in charge and both are before Justice Peake as we go to press.

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WINTER PATTERNS.

Demorest's "What to Wear," 1 cents.
" Portfolio of Fashions, 15 cents

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Sept 21-d&wtf

Slippers, Slippers, Slippers, at Barber & Baker's. dec17 daw1f

Look at Barber & Baker's slippers before you buy your presents. dec17-daw1f.

Great Bargains in Carpets and Window Shades, at Linn & Scruggs'.

Jan 23-d&wtf

Loans.—Private funds on farm lands.

Nov. 30—d&wtf. J. M. CLOKEY.

FRESH FEATHERS for sale at Linn & Scruggs'. [Nov 23-dtf

New Dress Goods! New Cloaks! Skirts and all other seasonable articles, just received, in full assortment, by

Sept. 21-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

The Best and cheapest White Shirts in the city, at Linn & Scruggs'.

Nov. 28 d&wtf

Fine Ecru Muslin for ladies' underwear, at Linn & Scruggs'

Nov 27-d&wtf

MACON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.

December Term, 1878.

SATURDAY, FEB. 1—AFTERNOON.

Court convened at 1½ o'clock a. m., and proceeded with business as follows:

In the divorce case of Timmons vs. Timmons the court awarded the complainant $500 alimony.

George Dudley jr., and Emily S. Welch vs. Hannah M. Myers et al.; chancery. Amended report of master approved; decree.

Jennie Cooper vs. Alfred Cooper; divorce. Trial by court previously had; decree, and $65 put down as alimony, and $12 every four weeks thereafter until otherwise ordered by court.

Bridgett Quinn vs. Arthur Quinn; divorce. Decree granted, and $100 awarded complainant as alimony and the use of 40 acres of land until otherwise ordered by court.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

Samuel Blackford vs Chas Connaghan; assumpsit Motion for new trial overruled; judgment on verdict for $1,209.74.

Adjourned to Monday at 1½ o'clock p. m., when Judge Smith will be on hand to finish the business of the term.

MONDAY, FEB. 3—AFTERNOON.

Circuit court resumed business this afternoon at one o'clock, Judge C. B. Smith presiding. There is probably unfinished business enough to occupy the week.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur.

Feb. 3-d&w8mo

DIED.

This morning, at Rushville, Ill., after a brief illness, CORNELIA L., wife of Rev. Wm. Stevenson, and mother of Wm. S. Stevenson, of this city, aged 17 years.

The deceased is pleasantly remembered by many of our citizens, who knew her during her three years' residence in this city, while her husband was pastor of Stapp's Chapel. She leaves four children, two sons and two daughters who, with their father, will receive the deep sympathy of their many friends in Decatur. Mrs. Stevenson, whose maiden name was Shryer, was married to her now bereaved husband, in 1850, at Bloomington, Ind, and has since then shared the vicissitudes pertaining to the life of a Methodist itinerant. She was a woman of many excellences of character, and was much beloved by all who knew her. The news of her death will be a sad surprise to our people, who had not even heard of her illness. The first information came this morning in the shape of a telegram to her son William, saying "Your mother is dying." This was followed quickly by another, which conveyed the news of her death. Wm. Stevenson leaves this afternoon for Rushville.

Cold Weather is at Hand.—Look to to the health and comfort of your horse by purchasing a warm blanket, to be had at J. G. Starr & Son's for $1 00 only.—Lap robes, all styles and prices.

Oct 28—d&wtf

Turkeys, Oysters, Oranges, Lemons, Nuts, Grapes, Buckwheat Flour, Maple Syrup, and everything in the grocery line, at Young Bros.

Dec 19 dtf

OPERA HOUSE.

TUESDAY EVE., FEB. 4.

Grand Entertainment

—BY—

DICK OGLESBY

—AND—

J. A. BARNEY,

Two DECATUR PROFESSIONALS, who will appear in all of their specialties, assisted by a host of auxiliaries.

Plenty of Fun, Wit and Humor!

Everything New. Nothing to Offend the Most Fastidious

Come One, Come All!

DON'T FORGET THE DATE.

Admission, 50 and 25 cents. Reserved Seats at Abbott's jewelry store, without extra charge.

N. B.—Remember that this entertainment is for the benefit of the poor orphans. DICK and JIM are the OPP'UNS.

Jan 31 d&d

OPERA HOUSE.

ONE NIGHT ONLY

Saturday, Feb. 8.

"The Finest Irish Comedian Living."

JOS. MURPHY,

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SPLENDID DRAMATIC COMPANY,

In Marsden's Grand Drama, the

KERRY COW

The Great Horse Shoeing Scene!
Flight of the Carrier Pigeons!
The Escape from Prison!
The Race!
All the Stirring Features!

Admission, 50 cents; Gallery, 35 cts; Reserved Seats, 75 cents, now on sale at Abbott's jewelry store. Feb3d&d

Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of WILLIAM. L. HAMMER and JOSEPH Q. A. ODOR, bankrupts—In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A third general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held at Decatur, in said district, on the 21st day of February, 1879, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of James C. Lake, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy in said district, for the purpose named in the 28th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2d, 1867.

BENJ. O. McREYNOLDS, Assignee.

Feb. 1, 1879 d21

CLOAKS,
Dolmans,
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BALMORAL SKIRTS,
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Nov. 20 -d&wtf

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NO. 25 WATER STREET.

JOHN ZELLER,

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And Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

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Also.—

All Kinds of SAUSAGE

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Jan. 13 d&w6

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In fact, everything for any kind of Sewing Machines.

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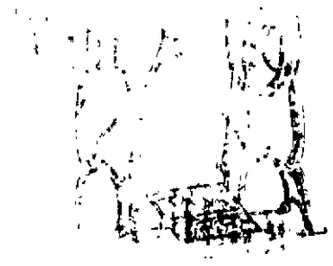

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Where he will be glad to see all his old patrons and welcome new ones.

He Guarantees the Best of Work and Stock, at the Lowest Prices.

Jan. 13—d1mo

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South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois

March 15, 1878—d&w

NEW Furniture Store!

Edward Huston

HAS OPENED, IN THE

OLD REVERE HOUSE BLOCK,

A full stock of New and Second-hand

FURNITURE!

STOVES,

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All of which will be sold exclusively for CASH at the very lowest prices. One price to every body. I will also buy Second-Hand Furniture and Stoves, or exchange new goods for the same.

☞ Call and see me.

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The Daily Republican.

MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 3, 1879.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE STARE as a candidate for Alderman in the first ward.

W. W. SWEARINGEN will be a candidate for Mayor at the ensuing spring election. †

WE are authorized to announce E. HARWOOD as a candidate for Alderman in the first ward.

WE are authorized to announce WM. A. DENNIS as an independent candidate for Alderman in the fourth ward.

WE are authorized to announce SULLIVAN BRIDGES as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Engineer and Surveyor.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE A. LOHING as a candidate for City Engineer, at the ensuing municipal election. †

WE are authorized to announce HENRY STAFFORD as a candidate for Alderman in the fourth ward. †

WE are authorized to announce WM. H. BRAMBLE as a candidate for re-election to the office of Alderman for the third ward.

WE are authorized to announce the name of JOSEPH P. LEAKE as a candidate for City Marshal at the approaching municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN A. BROKAW as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce NORMAN PRINGLE as a candidate for City Marshal at the approaching city election.

Additional Local News on second page.

THE churches were well attended yesterday.

THE tramp business is opening up again as the weather gets warmer.

EVERYBODY, look at Barber & Baker's slippers. dec17-d&wtf

REMEMBER, the place to buy slippers is at Barber & Baker's. dec17dawtf

CHOICE BUTTER always on hand at W. H. Reeme's grocery on North Water st. Also a full line of canned and dried fruits.

SCROLL saw for sale. Apply to O. N. Bramble. jan29d1t*

THE best and cheapest bleached and brown muslin in the city at GRIHMANN'S. Jan25 d1w

THE city election is getting to be a prominent subject of discussion on the streets, and people are getting pretty well waked up on the subject

HAVE you seen those beautiful and cheap dress goods at GRIHMANN'S Jan25-d1w

TRY Niedermyer's tea and coffee, as he always keeps the best and sells at bottom figures

DON'T forget that the St. Nicholas hotel runs a bus and carriage line to and from the depot to meet all trains and make calls in all parts of the city.

TRIMMING FRUIT TREES.—The undersigned will attend to trimming fruit trees, grape vines and shrubbery on reasonable terms Address. G. H IVANS, d Sat w1m Calhoun street.

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here.

Dec 18 d&wtf

COAL! COAL!—ANTHRACITE AND BITUMINOUS Orders left at the Furniture Salesroom, Water street, will be promptly attended to. Yard adjoining the Furniture Factory. J. H. VENNINGHOLZ. Jan 20 d2m

EDWARD HUSTON, in the old Revere House Block, east side of the Park, will pay the highest market price for second-hand stoves and furniture, or will exchange new goods for the same. Give him a call [Jan. 21 d&w1m

DON'T forget the Oglesby-Barney entertainment to-morrow evening. Lots of innocent fun, with good music, and a fine line of specialties The Detroit *Free Press* says "The best comique that has appeared in our city for years is Mr. Dick Oglesby." And the Council Bluffs *Nonpareil* has the following: "Mr. Dick Oglesby, in his Dutch, Irish and Yankee characters, made the most sedate of us smile."

IT will pay you to call and see the bargains left in jewelry, etc., etc., at J. L. Kooper's, 20 Merchant street, one door north of old stand. d&wtf

HOLIDAYS OVER and now to business. L. B. Pratt, North Church street, will give in exchange for corn, oats, wood, pork, beef, and country produce, groceries, dry goods, boots and shoes, ready made clothing, harness and hardware.

Jan. 10 d&w3m

THE young man who tried his hand on a Blue Mound schoolmaster the other day don't take to jail life very kindly, but chafes a good deal. He is evidently sorry that he pitched in quite so heavy, as he might have trounced the pedagogue mildly, which would have awarded him all the honor of whipping a schoolmaster without the imposition of a bail bond beyond his capacity to give.

Wanted—A young girl, 13 or 14 years of age, to take care of children. Apply at the west entrance of No. 52 West Wood street 8-d2*

A FREE LECTURE.—The free lecture to be delivered at the Tabernacle, on next Wednesday night, on "What civilization has lost and what gained by the advance of Russia," will be interesting, in view of the fact that a great war is inevitable in Europe The lecture will touch points of history not generally known. Pertaining not only to political affairs, but also to scientific discoveries. The present condition of Russia will be shown, both politically and socially. "Will Poland Again be a Free Nation?" Remember the night, Wednesday, Feb. 5th. Admission free.

At Cost!—As I intend changing my location in business I will sell my entire stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, etc., at *actual cost*, for 30 days only.

Feb. 3, 1879-d&w4 A. F. JENISON.

For Sale!—A No. 1 set of butcher's tools, as good as new. Also two horses and a spring wagon. Inquire of F M Girver, North Water street

Feb 2-1&w1w*

THE DINNEEN ROBBERY.

Arrest of Six Suspected Parties Last Night—Lee After C. Y. Brown, the Man who is Supposed to have Done the Deed.

How the Case was Worked Up and who Did It.

THE ARREST.

Sunday night, about 9.30 o'clock, Sheriff Forstmyer arrested Thomas Durham, Mrs. Thomas Durham, Mrs. Mason and her daughter Mary, (nine years old), John Durham and Henry Durham, on a charge of being implicated in the murderous assault and robbery of John Dinneen.—The arrested parties were taken to the county jail, the sheriff being assisted by Detectives Rittenhouse and Lee. After consultation it was thought best to let John and Henry Durham go in peace, and they were accordingly discharged; the other four remaining in charge of the sheriff.

HOW IT WAS DONE.

The circumstances which led to the arrest of these parties may be learned from the following condensed statement of facts as gathered from reliable sources by our reporter:

At a special meeting of the city council last week, called for the purpose of deciding upon the reward that should be offered by the city of Decatur for the apprehension of the party or parties who assaulted Coroner John Dinneen on Tuesday night, Jan. 28th, that body fixed upon the sum of $200, but left the matter of announcing the same discretionary with Mayor Priest. Immediately that official telegraphed for Detective John Rittenhouse, of Champaign, who arrived here Saturday at ten o'clock a. m., over the I., B. & W. R'y. Oliver Lee, who is special detective for the Wabash railway, was sworn in as special policeman or detective for the city, and both he and Rittenhouse, each utterly ignorant of the other's presence or plan of working, began what seemed to be a most difficult task

It appears, however, that Lee had heard of a little story that had been inadvertently told by a little girl on the morning after the robbery, and which the reader can readily see, gave the whole thing away. The name of the little girl in question is Mary, the 9 year old daughter of a woman named Mrs Mason, who on Wednesday last lived in one of the tenement houses on North Morgan street, one or more houses north of Mr. D. Martin's residence This Mrs. Mason is related to the Durham's—being the mother of Mrs. Thomas Durham, and since her residence in this city it is generally known lived with one Charles Y. Brown, until recently in the employ of the Wabash railway as brakeman.

And this man Brown is the individual on whom is fastened the suspicion of having committed the terrible deed of last Tuesday night.

On Wednesday morning Mrs. Kitchen, who lives north of the old Agricultural Works, sent a messenger to Mrs. Mason for $1 50 due her for services rendered, and also requesting Mrs M. to come to her house and do some sewing for her.—The money was not paid, and Mrs. Mason said she couldn't go to her home because she had to attend to some work that needed her attention. That morning everybody was talking about the assault on Dinneen, and the messenger said something about the matter, saying that some one had robbed the coroner of $400 Mrs. Mason spoke up quickly, saying, "I thought it was Lee Gill," showing in her manner that, although no one else had spoken to her about the assault that morning, that she knew more about the terrible affair of the privious night than she was willing to confess.

Mrs. Kitchen's messenger then got to talking to little Mary, who said that her mother would pay that $1.50, because she had lots of money; father gave it to her last night when he came home about 11 o'clock all covered with mud and blood; he gave mother a whole handful of money and then went away; she didn't know where; he took a whole lot with him, and mother would pay the bill. And then the little innocent began talking about what she had heard a man say, that he didn't like Dinneen nor Lee Gill, and that he was going to "knock" them some night; but when asked the name of the man who was going to do all this, little Mary said she dare not tell; "mother wouldn't like it."

All this came to the ears of Detective Lee, who reported progress to Mayor Priest, and laid low for other developments.

While Lee was at work on his end of the string, Rittenhouse was at work on the other end, and it came about that Rittenhouse discovered that a man named Brown, who had been dealing with Lee Gill, who keeps a grocery store on Morgan street, between Cerro Gordo and Eldorado streets, had called at that gentleman's place of business one evening a few days previous to the night of the Dinneen robbedy, and pulling out a revolver, asked Gill if he didn't want to trade with him.—Gill had possession of a big horse pistol, and whatever Brown's motive was, he pretended that his revolver was too small, and would like to have the horse pistol. And while the conversation was going on—there being no one else in the store at the time—Brown kept pointing the loaded revolver at Gill, who began to be alarmed for his safety. He walked to his money drawer, and taking out a new revolver showed it to Brown, and told him to clear out—he didn't want any man brandishing a loaded revolver at him. Soon after Brown left the store. Gill got to thinking about the matter, and grew quite nervous when he recalled the strange actions of the man. The detective's theory is that Brown's intention was to discover if Gill had a revolver that he might know what to look for if he made up his mind to attack him on his way home the evening after the Wabash pay-car came in. Like Dinneen, Gill has a large railroad patronage, and as Tuesday was "pay day" among the railroaders, his cash receipts were unusually large.

This information was communicated to Mayor Priest, who putting little Mary's story with it, the whole formed a tangible plot planned by Brown to waylay and rob Dinneen and Gill on the same night.

Then it was that Rittenhouse and Lee were introduced for the first time, and both worked in concert, resulting in the arrest of the Durhams and Masons, as stated in the outset.

BROWN'S FLIGHT.

After leaving home Tuesday night Brown went to the depot and stood around in the shadow of the cars until a freight train started eastward, at 12 o'clock, when he got into the caboose. He was recognized by the conductor for whom he had formerly worked, being well acquainted with him; the conductor says Brown's manner puzzled him. He seemed very nervous, and looked like he had killed somebody, and he told him so. Brown appeared startled at this remark, and shook like he had a chill. The conductor went on about his business, and as Brown made some plausible excuse about his strange manner the subject was dropped. The conductor reported that Brown got off at Danville, and said he was going to Logansport, Ind., where he expected to meet his mother or sister.

LEE AFTER BROWN.

Last night Detective Lee boarded the 10:40 train going east, and left for Logansport, determined to overhaul the fleeing criminal and bring him back to the city. This forenoon the report was current on the streets that Lee had caught his man, who had $200 and Dinneen's watch on his person. This report was run down by our reporter, and found to be wholly unfounded, and untrue. Lee, as soon as he makes the arrest, will telegraph Mayor Priest or Wm. H Fanning, Wabash yardmaster, and neither of these gentlemen had received any news from the detective up to the hour of going to press. If he succeeds in finding his man in Indiana, or any other State, it will be some days before he can be brought here, for the reason that a requisition from Governor Cullom will become necessary to remove him

We learn from Mr. Fanning that Charles Y Brown, the absent man, was paid $26 on Tuesday last by the Wabash paymaster, for services rendered the road in the month of December, 1878, and that he has not since been in the employ of the road. He is described as being 5 feet 6 inches in height, sandy haired, light moustache, spare made, and about 32 or 33 years old.

It was learned by the detectives that, on the night of the assault on Dinneen, Brown went to Thomas Durham, who lived with Mrs. Mason, and offered him $10 to assist him in his contemplated bloody work, but it is not known now that he accepted the proposition.

On Saturday afternoon, February 1st, Mrs. Mason with the Durhams, removed from their residence on Morgan street to the Connolly house in the hollow on Jefferson street, one block east of South Franklin, and here the whole gang was arrested.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—Judge Greer had a narrow escape from a severe accident last night. Just before church-time he stepped out into his back yard, and while standing there he was hit in the head with a large coffee cup which was thrown from the elevated platform in the rear of the Priest House, cutting an ugly gash in the Judge's head and nearly knocking him down. When he entered the house the wound was bleeding profusely, but an examination of it by Dr. Chenoweth showed that there was no fracture of the skull. The affair was entirely accidental, the cup being thrown away by an employe of the hotel on occount of it being cracked, the person throwing it designing that it should only go to the rear end of the lot, where rubbish is thrown, instead of which it went over the fence and hit the Judge on the head as described. Had the missile struck an inch lower the temple would have been hit, in which case the injury would have been much more serious if not dangerous. It is a risky business to hurl missiles through the air when it is dark.

JOE MURPHY.—This celebrated Irish comedian is to appear at the opera house on Saturday evening next in "Kerry Gow," a very popular Irish drama, to the leading role in which Mr. Murphy is singularly adapted. He is supported by a first-class company, and the entertainment will be very attractive. The following notice from the New York *Mail* pays a high compliment to Mr. M. and his company:

Last night Mr. Joseph Murphy appeared at the Park Theatre in a new Irish drama, by Mr. Fred Marsden, entitled "The Kerry Gow." The play is bright and clever, abounds in situations, which, if not original, are well arranged, and presents a new stage incident, to-wit: the shoeing of a horse upon the stage. Mr Murphy does this with professional ability, and showed himself an able actor throughout the piece. "The Kerry Gow" will be played during the week.

The sale of seats opened at Abbott's this morning.

FIRST WARD.—George Stare is to-day announced as a candidate for alderman in the first ward. Mr. Stare is one of the oldest and best known citizens of Decatur, having resided here about a quarter of a century. In that time he has built up a reputation for integrity and reliability that any man might well be proud of. He served one term in the council, and made an excellent alderman.

ANOTHER DEATH.—A telegram received here to-day from Wichita, Kansas, announces the death at that place yesterday of Louise, eldest daughter of John W. Bear, formely of Decatur. We are unable to give the name of the deceased lady, who was married after her removal from this city, several years ago

THE CHURCHES YESTERDAY.

Another pleasant Sabbath was vouchsafed to this part of the christian world yesterday, and the churches were well attended. At the

U. B. CHURCH

the congregation was unusually large and attentive. Services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. H. Chittenden. The Sunday school session at 2 o'clock in the afternoon was one of much interest, and the day generally was one of much encouragement to the church. Services will be held this evening at 7 o'clock, and it is probable that meetings will be held each evening this week.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

A large congregation was in attendance in the forenoon, and in the evening the large church was crowded to its full capacity Services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Goodwin, who preached with his usual earnestness and ability. Several persons asked for the prayers of the church, and a deep seriousness pervaded the entire audience Services will be held this evening in the lecture room, and will probably be continued through the week.

BETHEL.

There was a large attendance at this church both morning and evening, the pastor, Rev. Coovert, officiating. In the evening the Prodigal Son, and his return to his father, furnished the topic of discourse. Services are to be held here to-night, and may probably be continued each evening during the week. During the past week several have professed conversion at this church, and there is a very encouraging state of affairs in the congregation.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The pulpit of this church was occupied in the forenoon by Dr. Engle, who preached a good discourse on christian work, pointing out in detail the duties claiming the attention of christian people. Sunday school was held at 2 o'clock. No service in the evening. It is expected that Elder Hayes will resume his labors with this congregation sometime during the month.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. W. H. Prestley, the pastor, occupied the pulpit, both morning and evening. The congregations were large, and the speaker received the closest attention of his hearers. Services will be held this evening, and all are cordially invited.

STAFF'S CHAPEL.

In consequence of the continued illness of the pastor, Rev. S. MacBurney, the pulpit of this church was occupied by a young man by the name of Finley, who is stopping in this city for awhile, and is, we understand, a nephew of the celebrated Rev Dr. Finley, of Ohio.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

The Universalist Church of this city will commence a series of meetings on next Sabbath, to continue during the week. Rev. Dr. Ryder, pastor of St. Paul's Universalist Church, of Chicago, will preach on Monday and Tuesday evenings. Rev. S. S. Hebberd, pastor of the church, and Rev. D. P. Bunn will also be present during the meetings. Let all the members and friends of the Universalist Church attend. The public are kindly invited to attend.

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Of all medicines advertised to cure any affection of the Throat, Chest or Lungs, we know of none we can recommend so highly as Dr. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Hoarseness, tickling in the throat, loss of voice, etc. This medicine does *positively cure*, and that where everything else has failed. No medicine can show one-half so many positive and permanent cures as have already been effected by this truly wonderful remedy. For Asthma and Bronchitis it is a perfect specific, curing the very worst cases in the shortest time possible. We say by all means give it a trial. *Trial bottles free.* Regular size, $1.00 For sale by Hubbard & Sweatingen, Decatur.

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A Card of Thanks.—I desire, with my family, to tender to my neighbors and friends our sincere thanks for their kind attentions and sympathy during the sickness of my late wife. May God reward them for their labor of love.

ABRAM KRAMER.

The Favorites of the Ladies.—The Light Running "Domestic" and St. John Sewing Machines, for which Dr. J. S. Hand & Co., in postoffice block, hold the exclusive agency in this county, are the favorites with the ladies all the world over. They are the simplest and cheapest machines made, and have all the modern appliances and conveniences that go to make the sum of excellences. The beauty and variety of their work is wonderful. Call and see them, and you will certainly buy. jan30w1m

Stop at Ham & Black's, on Prairie street, and buy your turkeys, chickens butter, eggs, oysters, game and Shellabarger's flour [Jan. 11-d1f

Wanted—A first class milliner, with references. Call at Theodore A. Gehrmann's, 10 Merchant street. jan30d3t

It will pay you to look at Barber & Baker's stock of Boots and Shoes before purchasing. Sept21-d&wtf

Gents' Slippers, in every style and price, at Barber & Baker's. dec17 dawtf.

100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, at lowest cash prices, the corn to be delivered at D. S Shellabarger & Co.'s mill.

Jan 1—d&wtf

Bonanza Walking Shoes, $1.00, at Ferriss' Shoe Store. [25-d&wtf

Great Bargains in Camel's Hair Cloaks at Linn & Scruggs [dec31&wtf

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. Walston reports John Dinneen much improved to-day.

Mr. R. E. Andrews, of Macon, is in the city to day.

Judge C. B. Smith, of Champaign, came over to-day to hold court in place of Judge Nelson, who has gone to Danville to hold court there.

Judge C. B. Smith gave us a pleasant call this morning, and took his seat on the bench this afternoon.

John K. Warren, who has been confined to his room for some time, is able to be down town to-day.

Frank A. Falconar has been appointed general traveling agent for the Illinois Midland Railway, and will enter upon his duties in a few days. Frank is a stirring fellow, and will "whoop things up lively" in the freight line.

Hon. W. D Chambers, who came home on Saturday after an extended business trip, and who leaves this afternoon on another similar journey, was among the callers at the REPUBLICAN office to-day

Mrs. J A. Barney received a letter from Paris, at noon to-day, containing the sad intelligence that her mother, Mrs. James Shouff, is alarmingly ill at her home at that place.

The many friends and admirers of the immortal "J. N." in this city will doubtless be pleased to learn that he is in this part of the country, bound towards Decatur. The Bloomington *Leader* of Saturday, in noticing his arrival in that city, says:

He is a near relative to the gods, and in fancy lives among the heavenly firmaments. "J. N" is about six feet long, and wears a Texas Jack hat and long flowing locks He claims to hold the destinies of the world in the hollow of his hand. He has *traveled over the whole* United States, and attained considerable notoriety by his eccentricities. The only thing we have against "J. N." is the stern and undeniable fact that he stood in the water when he was measured for his pants.

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Notice—$100 Reward!—The Irish Benevolent and St. Patrick's Total Abstinence Societies offer $100 reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties connected with the assault on John Dinneen, on the night of the 28th of January, 1879. We are assured that we will have the Governor's reward to day, and Macon county will give fifty dollars By order of ROBERT BROWN, THOMAS BOYLE, Jan 30 d1w Committee

WHITE and colored Alexander one-button Kid Gloves, will be closed out at 40c a pair, by LINN & SCRUGGS Jan 5 d&wtf

As I am going out of the saloon business on the 10th of March next, I will sell what liquors I have now on hand at half price EDWARD HUSTON, Jan. 15 d&w7w Old Revere House.

MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, ILL., Feb 3, 1879.

GRAIN MARKET.	
FLOUR White Wheat selling per hundred lbs	$ 2.50
FLOUR Red wheat selling per hundred lbs	2.25
CORN MEAL White selling	.50
" " Yellow "	.45
SHORTS Per hundred, selling	1.00
CORN	23@.25
WHEAT	.70@.80
OATS	.15
FARM PRODUCE.	
POTATOES	40@50
BUTTER Per lb	.12@15
EGGS Per dozen	.10@.10
LARD Selling	.10
SIDE-BACON Selling	.10
HAMS Selling	.10@.15
CHICKENS Per dozen, live	1.50@1.75
" " " dressed,	2.00@2.50
TURKEYS Dressed	.06@.8
ONIONS Per bushel	.35@40
APPLES Per bushel	.50@.75
TIMOTHY HAY New, per ton	8.00
FAT CATTLE Per cwt.	3.50@4.00
HOGS—Per cwt.	2.50@3.00
WOOL—Fine, unwashed	.20@.25
" " washed	.32@.34
HIDES Green	4@5
" " damaged	½ price
" —Dry	8@.12½
SHEEP PELTS Apiece	50@75
TALLOW—Per pound	.4½

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of WILLIAM COX, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of William Cox, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of March, A. D. 1879, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Feb 1, A. D. 1879.

JOHN H. MILLER, Administrator.

Feb. 1 d3w†

Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of WILLIAM L. HAMMER, bankrupt—In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at Decatur, in said district, on the 21st day of February, 1879, at ten o'clock a. m., at the office of James C. Lake, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy in said district, for the purpose named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2d, 1867.

BENJ. O. McREYNOLDS, Assignee

Feb 1, 1879—22

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No. 1 Through Express	6:20 a. m
" 3 Fast Line	4:15 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail	3:40 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express	10:50 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express	11:05 a. m
" 6 Accommodation	8:30 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets.

Going East	9:45 a. m
Going West	1:15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express	3:50 a. m
" 43 Fast Line	4:25 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail	4:00 p. m
Freight	7:15 a. m

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express	10:30 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express	11:20 a. m
" 46 Accommodation	9:45 p. m

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K. HARWOOD, Agent, Decatur.

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ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
L. B. & W. R. R.			
Leave Decatur	..	..	2:00 p m
Arr Mendon do	..	..	4:25 p m
Ar Champaign	5.10 a m	1:34 p m	11:25 p m
Ar Danville	7:43 a m	3:05 p m	1:24 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11:00 a m	6:00 p m	4:20 a m
Ar Cincinnati	4:05 p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
WABASH R. R.			
Lv Decatur	..	11:40 a m	10:45 p m
Ar Mendon do	....	12:53 p m	11:57 p m
Ar Danville		2:12 p m	1:18 a m
" Indianapolis	11:00 a m	6:00 p m	4:20 a m
" Cincinnati	4:05 p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
" Dayton	4:55 p m	11:40 p m	9:35 a m
" Columbus	9:40 p m	12:45 a m	12:35 p m
" Zanesville	1:30 a m	..	3:10 p m
" Wheeling	5:05 a m	..	6:40 p m
" Washington	7:20 p m	9:07 p m	7:50 a m
" Baltimore	8:50 p m	7:05 p m	7:45 a m
" Pittsburg	..	7:00 a m	7:45 p m
" Harrisburg	..	3:05 p m	3:50 a m
" Philadelphia	3:10 a m	7:20 p m	7:05 a m
New York	6:25 a m	10:15 p m	10:35 a m
Crestline	..	4:22 a m	12:05 p m
" Cleveland	..	7:10 a m	3:30 p m
" Buffalo	..	1:05 p m	8:05 p m
" Boston	..	8:15 a m	3:40 p m
" Louisville	7:40 p m	12:50 p m	8:30 a m
" Nashville	..	8:30 a m	7:30 p m

Train No. 6 will leave Decatur via Wabash Railway daily, and run through to Indianapolis, making all Eastern connections. All other trains daily, except Sunday.

Reclining Chair Sleeping Cars with State Rooms are run on No. 6, to Indianapolis.

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ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, Nov. 11th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

FROM THE EAST.

No. 2 Passenger	11:40 a. m
" 4 Passenger	8:00 p. m
" 6 Freight	6:45 a. m

DEPART EAST.

No. 1 Passenger	1:10 p. m
" 3 Freight	7:45 a. m
" 5 Passenger	6:45 a. m

FROM THE WEST.

No. 5 Freight	1:10 p. m
" 1 Passenger	12:50 p. m

DEPART WEST.

No. 6 Freight	6:45 a. m
" 3 Passenger	12:40 p. m

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CONDENSED TIME-CARD.

NOVEMBER 10th, 1878.

LEAVE

STATIONS.	Freight.	Freight.	Pass.	Pass.
Decatur	6:00 am		1:15 pm	
Hammond	7:22 am		2:11 pm	
Tuscola	8:35 am		3:50 pm	
Newman	10:25 am		4:41 pm	
Christman	12:00 m		6:27 pm	
Hillsdale	1:00 pm		5:12 pm	
Montezuma	1:45 pm		5:30 pm	
Bloomingdale	2:25 pm		5:40 pm	
Guion	3:00 pm		6:00 pm	

ARRIVE.

STATIONS.	Pass.	Pass.	Freight.	Freight.
Decatur	11:25 am		5:20 pm	
Hammond	10:00 am		4:30 pm	
Tuscola	9:15 am		3:00 pm	
Newman	9:13 am		1:35 pm	
Christman	8:00 am		11:30 am	
Hillsdale	7:35 am		9:21 am	5:05 pm
Montezuma	7:00 am		9:16 am	5:30 pm
Bloomingdale	6:40 am			6:20 pm
Guion	6:00 am			8:05 pm

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Passenger	5:00 a m
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TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1878. Nov 10th	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South. Express
Arrive.			Leave.	
11.50 am	3.55 pm	Decatur.	2.00 pm	10.40 pm
12.43 "	4.48 "	St Pulaski	12.43 "	9.40 "
1.10 "	5.18 "	Lincoln	12.08 "	9.20 "
1.51 "	5.59 "	Delavan	11.02 "	8.38 "
2.05 "	6.13 "	Green Val.	10.43 "	8.21 "
2.30 "	6.40 "	Pekin	10.00 "	7.55 "
3.00 pm	7.15 "	Peoria	9.25 am	7.25 "

JNO. S. COOK, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
L. M. RUPERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
November 12, 1878.

TOLEDO, PEORIA AND WARSAW RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MAY 12th, 1878, trains will run as follows:

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 8.
Lv. Peoria	*7.15 pm	†9.05 a m	*9.00 p m
" El Paso	9.34 "	10.15 "	11.07 p m
Ar. Chenoa	9.59 "	10.47 "	12.07 a m
" Fairbury	9.51 "	11.20 "	12.40 "
" Gilman	10.15 "	12.09 p m	2.35 "
" Chicago	..	8.05 "	6.40 "
" Watseka	11.05 "	2.38 "	4.00 "
" Sheldon	11.25 p m	2.56 "	4.55 "

*Runs Daily. †Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

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No. 4 has through day coach from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette.

No. 8 has a Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Chicago.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7
Lv. El Paso	*7.25 am	*1.40 pm	*4.00 pm
" Peoria	8.50 "	3.00 "	6.20 "
Ar. Canton	*10.10 "	4.12 "	..
" Bushnell	11.40 "	5.23 "	..
" Burlington	1.50 pm	7.25 "	..
" Keokuk	2.10 "	7.35 "	..
" West Liberty	10.40 "	10.30 "	..
" Cedar Rapids	12.25 am	12.25 am	..
" Waterloo	3.07 "	3.07 "	..
" Ottumwa	12.00 pm	10.50 pm	..
" Des Moines	2.50 am	2.50 am	..
" Omaha	10.00 "	10.00 "	..

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Arrival and Closing of Mails

MAILS CLOSE AT

11:00 A. M. —*Wabash R. R. East, Chicago, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota; *Illinois Midland West.

12:30 P. M.—*I., D. & S. R. R.; *Ill Mid. East.

1:30 P. M.—*I., B. & W. R. R.

2.00 P. M.—*Mattoon, Sullivan & Decatur R R.; *Chicago & Dubu. R. P. O., (through pouch); *Chicago & Burlington R. P. O., through pouch.

3:00 P. M.—*Wabash R. R. West; *St Louis way; *I., L. & D. R. R.

5:00 P. M.—*Ill. Cent. South, and Cincinnati.

7:30 P. M.—*Ill. Cent. North; †Toledo and Lafayette R. P. O. (Ohio and Indiana); *Buffalo and Toledo R. P. O. (Eastern States); *Chicago and Toledo R. P. O., Chicago, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minn., Peoria, Lincoln, Mattoon, Tuscola, Hennepin, Jacksonville and Quincy. Lafayette, Indiana, through pouch; *Indianapolis, do.; *Toledo, O., do.; *Springfield, Ill., do.; *St. Louis, Mo., do. Night mails close Sunday at 6:00 P. M.

*Except Sunday. ‡Except Saturday. †Daily.

MAILS ARRIVE AT

6:00 A. M.—*Ill. Cent. R. R. South; †Toledo and Lafayette R. P. O.; *Buffalo and Toledo R. P. O. (Eastern States, Chicago and Toledo R. P. O.; *St. Louis, Missouri, through pouch; *Springfield, Ill., do.; Lafayette, Ind., do.; *Indianapolis, Ind., do.; *Toledo, O., do.

10:30 A. M.—*I., B. & W. R. R.

10.30 A. M.—*Chicago and Dub. R. P. O., through pouch; *Chicago & Burlington R. P. O., do.

12:00 M.—*St. Louis way, *Wabash R. R. West, *Midland R. R. East, *Ind., D. & S. R. R., *Mattoon & Sullivan R. R.

2:00 P. M.—*Midland R. R. West.

2:30 P. M.—*I., L. & D. R. R.

4.00 P. M.—*Wabash R. R. East.

4:00 P. M.—*Ill. Central North.

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Nov. 29, 1877. R. P. LYTLE, P. M.

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THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO SECURE the services of a Steward to take charge of the Macon County Poor Farm for one year from March 1st, will meet at the County Clerk's Office in Decatur, on

Friday, the 31st of January, 1879, at one o'clock P. M.

Proposals will be received until 1 o'clock noon. The committee reserve the right to reject any and all propositions.

HIRAM WARD,
Dec. 21—d&wtd J. N. HOYT,
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BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Supreme Court of the Central Grand Division of the State of Illinois at Springfield, in favor of Isaac D. Jennings and against Fred Aholtz, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit:

Lot twenty-four (24), in block one (1), in Wait & Co's Addition to the city of Decatur.

Also, lot two (2), in block one (1), 2nd Rolling Mill Addition to the city of Decatur.

Also, lot eight (8), in Wykoff's Addition to the city of Decatur, together with a strip of land ten feet wide, lying immediately west of said lot eight in Wykoff's addition, running the entire length of the same.

Also, lots eight (8) and nine (9), in block two (2), Shepherd's first addition to the City of Decatur.

Also, lots nine (9), twelve (12), thirteen (13) and sixteen (16), in block eleven (11), in the village of Blue Mound, Pleasant View township. Also, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section sixteen (16), town sixteen (16) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian.

Also, lot six (6), in block four (4), in W. A. Barnes' subdivision of lots No. three (3), four (4), five (5) and the north half of lot six (6), in the Western Addition to the city of Decatur,—all in Macon county, Illinois.

Taken as property of the said Fred Aholtz, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1879, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 21st day of January, A. D. 1879.
M. FORSTMYER,
Jan. 22 d&w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Adam Cormany and Mary A. Cormany, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, by their certain trust deed bearing date January 8th, 1872, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book 35, page 223, did convey to Martin P. Murphy, trustee, the following described premises situate in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to-wit: The west half of the south west quarter of section nineteen (19), in township fifteen (15) north, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian, except twenty (20) rods off of the north end of said tract of land above described, to secure the payment of one principal note for the sum of twelve *hundred and sixty dollars, executed by said* Adam Cormany, payable to Joseph Michl, or order, one year after the date thereof, with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum;

And whereas, it is provided in and by said deed of trust that in case of default in the payment of said note or interest, or any part thereof, then on application of the legal holder of said note it should be lawful for said trustee to sell and dispose of said premises at public auction at the front door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and state of Illinois, to the highest bidder for cash, and out of the proceeds of such sale, after paying all costs incurred, to pay the amount due upon said note with the interest accrued thereon; and whereas, the said principal note became and was due and payable on the 8th day of January, A. D. 1877, and now remains due and unpaid, with a portion of the interest accrued thereon;

And whereas, the legal holder of said note has made application to the undersigned and requested him to sell said premises under the power contained in said deed of trust;

Now therefore, public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of said trust deed, I, the undersigned, will, on

Friday, the 28th day of February, A. D. 1879,

at eleven o'clock A. M., at the west outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, sell and dispose of the above described premises, and all the right, title and equity of redemption of said Adam Cormany and Mary A. Cormany their heirs and assigns therein at public auction for cash to the highest and best bidder therefor.

MARTIN P. MURPHEY, Trustee.
Jan. 28, 1879—d&w1

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That I was appointed Assignee of the estate of Frank B. Green, of Decatur, Illinois, on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1878. All persons knowing themselves indebted to him, will call upon me and make immediate settlement. And all creditors of the said Frank B. Green, are hereby notified to present their claims under oath or affirmation to me within three months from this date, in the county court of Macon county, Illinois.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Henry Birkett and Grace E. Birkett, his wife, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, by their certain trust deed bearing date the Eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1878, recorded in the Recorder's office of said Macon county, in book No. sixty-seven, on page one hundred and thirty, did convey to me, William T. Cussins, as trustee, the following described real estate situated in the City of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The north half (½) of the north half (½) of the west half (½) of lot No. one (1), in block No. three (3), in the original town of Decatur, to secure the payment of one certain promissory note for the principal sum of one thousand dollars; said note bearing date the Eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1878, falling due nine months after said date, and drawing interest after the Eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1878, at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, and being executed by the said Henry Birkett and one Wilbur C. Bullard, late partners doing business in the firm name and style of *Birkett & Bullard*, by their firm name of Birkett & Bullard, to John C. Tlomeyer and Joseph Schlange, or order, in their firm name of John C. Tlomeyer & Co.; said firm residing and doing business in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri;

And whereas, it is provided in and by said deed of trust, that in case default be made in the payment of any part of said principal sum mentioned in said note, or if default be made in the payment of any interest thereon on the days when such interest shall fall due, then on application of the legal holder of said note it should be lawful for the said trustee to sell and dispose of said described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House, of the said county of Macon, in the city of Decatur, in the State of Illinois, and out of the proceeds of such sale, after paying all costs incurred, to pay the amount due upon said note of principal and interest according to its tenor and effect; and whereas, the said principal note became and was due on the Twenty-first day of December, A. D. 1878, and now remains due and unpaid; and whereas, said note and interest will, on the Eleventh day of February, A. D. 1879, amount to the sum of one thousand and seventy one dollars and ten cents;

And whereas, the said Henry Birkett and Grace E. Birkett, his wife, have, since the executing and recording of the said trust deed, sold and assigned all their right, title and interest in and to said described real estate to one Skelton Birkett;

And whereas, John C. Tlomeyer & Co., the legal holders of said note, have made application to the undersigned and requested him to sell said real estate under the power of sale contained in said trust deed;

Now therefore, public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of the authority conferred on me by said trust deed, I the undersigned will, on

Tuesday, the Eleventh day of February, A. D. 1879,

at 2 o'clock P. M., at the west door of the Court House, of the said county of Macon, in the city of Decatur and State of Illinois, sell and dispose of the above described real estate and all right and equity of redemption of the said Henry Birkett and Grace E. Birkett their heirs and assigns therein, at public auction for cash to the highest and best bidder therefor.

WM. T. CUSSINS, Trustee.
Jan. 6, 1879 d&d

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, John Schruter, on the first day of December, A. D. 1874, by his deed of trust conveyed to the undersigned trustees the real estate hereinafter described, which trust deed is recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book 68, page 72, to secure payment of four principal notes of said John Schruter of even date therewith one for $3,000, payable June 1st, 1875, one for $1,000, payable June 1st, 1877; one for $1,000, payable June 1st, 1878, and one for $5,000, payable June 1st, 1880, and interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date until paid, payable semi-annually; which interest is evidenced by coupon notes bearing interest at ten per cent. per annum after due; both principal and interest payable with New York Exchange added, and upon which notes and trust deed will be due February 25th, 1879, $8,500 00.

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust, that if default be made in the payment of any of said principal sum, or any installment of interest thereon when due, *such* default shall have the effect to render each and every of said promissory notes, with the interest accrued thereon, presently due and payable, and on application of the legal holder of said notes, said trustee shall proceed and sell said real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, first giving notice as hereinafter prescribed;

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of said two principal notes of $3,000 each, and of all interest upon said three last described notes accruing since December 1st, 1876; and the legal holder of said notes has requested the undersigned to sell said premises under the provisions of said trust deed;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that on

Tuesday, the 25th day of February, A. D. 1879,

at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the court house, in the county of Macon aforesaid, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described premises situate in the county of *Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The* north east quarter of section thirty-six (36), in township seventeen (17) north and range three (3) east of the 3rd principal meridian, containing 160 acres, and all the right, title of said John Schruter therein, in pursuance of the authority in us vested by said deed of trust. The undersigned are informed that one James C. Lake claims an interest in said premises.

JAMES